

REMARKS

Claims 1-7, 17-23, and 25-28 are pending in the application. Claims 8-16 and 24 have been withdrawn in accordance with the pending restriction requirement.

Claims 27 and 28 are newly presented in the current Amendment. Both new claims are dependent from claim 21. Support for the hole registration requirement of new claim 27 is provided at p. 31, lines 7-14, while support for a liquid meniscus providing connection between holes of stacked platens, as claimed in claim 28, is provided at p. 31, lines 21-26.

If the Examiner has any outstanding questions, he is invited to call Applicants' undersigned representative at 617-443-9292.

Respectfully submitted,



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